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Change of Name

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Name  Execution Date  
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Formerly

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Name

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Name

Address (line 1)

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**Correspondent Name and Address**

Area Code and Telephone Number

Name

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**Fee Amount**

Fee Amount for Properties Listed (37 CFR 3.41):

\$

Method of Payment:

Enclosed

Deposit Account

Deposit Account

(Enter for payment by deposit account or if additional fees can be charged to the account.)

Deposit Account Number:

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Authorization to charge additional fees:

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No

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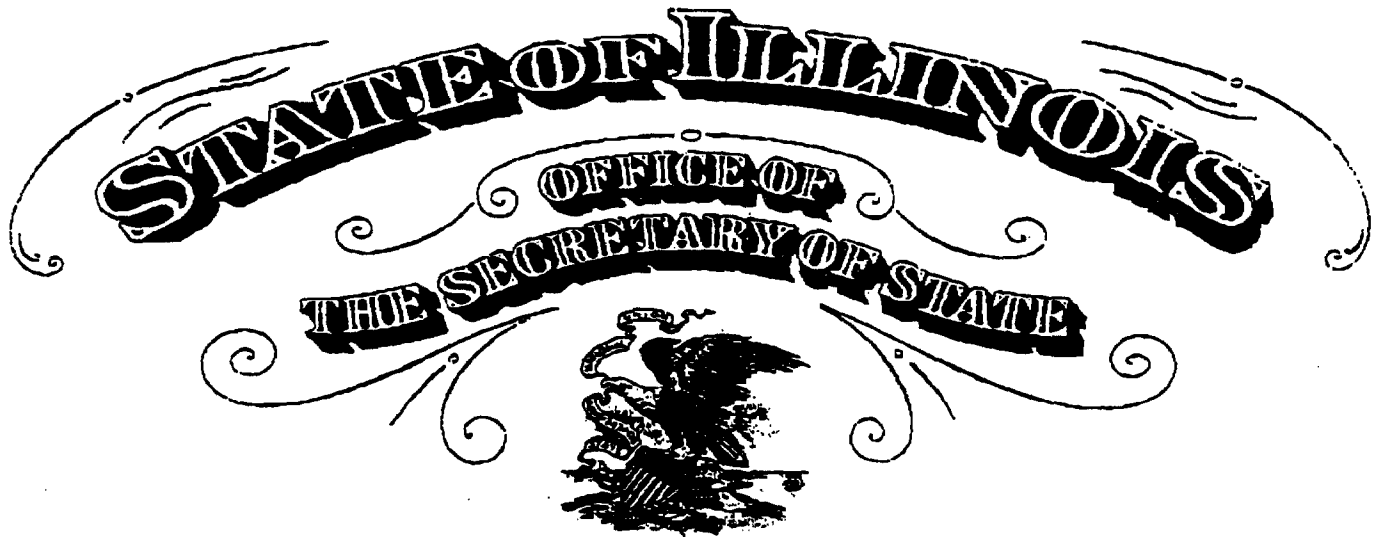
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Name of Person Signing

Signature

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Date Signed

File Number 4219-263-5

**Whereas,** ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

YATES MANUFACTURING CO.

INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS HAVE BEEN FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE AS PROVIDED BY THE BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT OF ILLINOIS, IN FORCE JULY 1, A.D. 1984.

*Now Therefore, I, George H. Ryan, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby issue this certificate and attach hereto a copy of the Application of the aforesaid corporation.*

**In Testimony Whereof,** *I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Illinois, at the City of Springfield, this* 30TH *day of* DECEMBER *A.D. 19* 92 *and of the Independence of the United States the two hundred and* 17TH.



*George H. Ryan*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT**

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George H. Ryan  
Secretary of State  
Department of Business Services

**SUBMIT IN DUPLICATE**

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GEORGE H. RYAN  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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Date 12-30-92

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Approved: [Signature]

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order, payable to "Secretary of State."

1. CORPORATE NAME: YATES MANUFACTURING CO. (Note 1)

2. MANNER OF ADOPTION:

The following amendment of the Articles of Incorporation was adopted on December 17  
19 92 in the manner indicated below. ("X" one box only)

By a majority of the incorporators, provided no directors were named in the articles of incorporation and no directors have been elected; or by a majority of the board of directors, in accordance with Section 10.10, the corporation having issued no shares as of the time of adoption of this amendment; (Note 2)

By a majority of the board of directors, in accordance with Section 10.15, shares having been issued by shareholder action not being required for the adoption of the amendment; (Note 3)

By the shareholders, in accordance with Section 10.20, a resolution of the board of directors having been duly adopted and submitted to the shareholders. At a meeting of shareholders, not less than the minimum number of votes required by statute and by the articles of incorporation were voted in favor of the amendment; (Note 4)

By the shareholders, in accordance with Sections 10.20 and 7.10, a resolution of the board of directors having been duly adopted and submitted to the shareholders. A consent in writing has been signed by shareholders having not less than the minimum number of votes required by statute and by the articles of incorporation. Shareholders who have not consented in writing have been given notice in accordance with Section 7.10; (Note 4)

By the shareholders, in accordance with Sections 10.20 and 7.10, a resolution of the board of directors having been duly adopted and submitted to the shareholders. A consent in writing has been signed by all the shareholders entitled to vote on this amendment. (Note 4)

(INSERT AMENDMENT)

(Any article being amended is required to be set forth in its entirety.) (Suggested language for an amendment to change the corporate name is RESOLVED, that the Articles of Incorporation be amended to read as follows:)

RESOLVED, that Article One of the Articles of Incorporation be amended to read as follows: "The name of the corporation is:

(NEW NAME)

YATES INVESTMENT CASTING WAX INC. E"

**EXPEDITED**

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SECRETARY OF STATE

**PAID**

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All changes other than name, include on page 2

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**Resolution**

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3. The manner in which any exchange, reclassification or cancellation of issued shares, or a reduction of the number of authorized shares of any class below the number of issued shares of that class, provided for or effected by this amendment, is as follows: (If not applicable, insert "No change")

No change

4. (a) The manner in which said amendment effects a change in the amount of paid-in capital (Paid-in capital replaces the terms Stated Capital and Paid-in Surplus and is equal to the total of these accounts) is as follows: (If not applicable, insert "No change")

No change

(b) The amount of paid-in capital (Paid-in Capital replaces the terms Stated Capital and Paid-in Surplus and is equal to the total of these accounts) as changed by this amendment is as follows: (If not applicable, insert "No change")

No change

	Before Amendment	After Amendment
Paid-in Capital	\$ _____	\$ _____

(Complete either item 5 or 6 below)

5. The undersigned corporation has caused this statement to be signed by its duly authorized officers, each of whom affirms, under penalties of perjury, that the facts stated herein are true.

Dated December 18, 19 92 Yates Manufacturing Co.  
(Exact Name of Corporation)

attested by Richard T. Cardone by John S. Paraszczak  
(Signature of Secretary or Assistant Secretary) (Signature of President or Vice President)

Richard T. Cardone, Secretary John S. Paraszczak, President  
(Type or Print Name and Title) (Type or Print Name and Title)

6. If amendment is authorized by the incorporators, the incorporators must sign below.

OR

If amendment is authorized by the directors and there are no officers, then a majority of the directors or such directors as may be designated by the board, must sign below.

The undersigned affirms, under the penalties of perjury, that the facts stated herein are true.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

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**NOTES and INSTRUCTIONS**

**NOTE 1:** State the true exact corporate name as it appears on the records of the office of the Secretary of State, BEFORE any amendments herein reported.

**NOTE 2:** Incorporators are permitted to adopt amendments ONLY before any shares have been issued and before any directors have been named or elected. (§ 10.10)

**NOTE 3:** Directors may adopt amendments without shareholder approval in only six instances, as follows:

- (a) to remove the names and addresses of directors named in the articles of incorporation;
- (b) to remove the name and address of the initial registered agent and registered office, provided a statement pursuant to § 5.10 is also filed;
- (c) to split the issued whole shares and unissued authorized shares by multiplying them by a whole number, so long as no class or series is adversely affected thereby;
- (d) to change the corporate name by substituting the word "corporation", "incorporated", "company", "limited", or the abbreviation "corp.", "inc.", "co.", or "Ltd." for a similar word or abbreviation in the name, or by adding a geographical attribution to the name;
- (e) to reduce the authorized shares of any class pursuant to a cancellation statement filed in accordance with § 9.05,
- (f) to restate the articles of incorporation as currently amended. (§ 10.15)

**NOTE 4:** All amendments not adopted under § 10.10 or § 10.15 require (1) that the board of directors adopt a resolution setting forth the proposed amendment and (2) that the shareholders approve the amendment.

Shareholder approval may be (1) by vote at a shareholders' meeting (*either annual or special*) or (2) by consent, in writing, without a meeting.

To be adopted, the amendment must receive the affirmative vote or consent of the holders of at least 2/3 of the outstanding shares entitled to vote on the amendment (*but if class voting applies, then also at least a 2/3 vote within each class is required*).

The articles of incorporation may supercede the 2/3 vote requirement by specifying any smaller or larger vote requirement not less than a majority of the outstanding shares entitled to vote and not less than a majority within each class when class voting applies. (§ 10.20)

**NOTE 5:** When shareholder approval is by consent, all shareholders must be given notice of the proposed amendment at least 5 days before the consent is signed. If the amendment is adopted, shareholders who have not signed the consent must be promptly notified of the passage of the amendment. (§§ 7.10 & 10.20)

STATE OF NEW YORK

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 Office of the Secretary of State  
 I hereby certify that this is a true and  
 correct copy, consisting of Five  
 pages, as taken from the original on file in  
 this office.



*George H. Ryan*

GEORGE H. RYAN  
 SECRETARY OF STATE

DATED: March 14, 1995

BY: James P. Kealey, Jr.

**EXPEDITED**  
**SECRETARY OF STATE**

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